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Naturally people who read most are apt to have eye trouble, intelligent people, too, should know best how to conserve their eyesight. A hint here should be enough to have me find out for them if they have any eye defect, and remedy such with requisite eye glasses or spectacles. This is to request a call.

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From Now Until Christmas

We will sell narrow and wide ribbons at special prices—for holiday use in making presents.

Also, our assortment of stamped designs of different types and colored embroidery thread will be marked at lower prices for this stated time.

Warm, wollen caps and soft hats at very reasonable prices here.

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CHRISTMAS SHOPPING

Watch RECORD advertisements for Christmas values. Now is the time to begin making selections for relatives and friends. Trade at home with home merchants.

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GENTLEMEN: I, like the public in general, am not much inclined to tell a manufacturer what I think of his product unless it is something disagreeable, but, I had recently such a marked experience with your TEXACO Gasoline that I can't restrain myself from acquainting you with what it accomplished.
You doubtless know I own the motor speed boat "Go-Cart," a craft of some slight local fame. In last season's regatta it appeared I had little chance to attain my laurels as I was pitted against much more powerful and costly craft. Fortunately a friend induced me to use your TEXACO Gasoline and you know that during the entire race, which by the way, was unusually severe, mine was the only boat that completed all the laps without a break-down and it is this remarkable result that compels me to speak so highly of your TEXACO Gasoline.

Yours very truly,
CHARLES GODLOVE.

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Society

Social Meeting.

Don't forget the Baraca-Philathea social meeting at the First Baptist church tonight, in the Baraca class room from 7:30 to 10 o'clock.

Class Reporter.

Sewing Club Meets.

The Wednesday Afternoon Sewing Club held its first meeting yesterday with little Miss Nita Rossier. The members of the club are Misses Nita Mosteller, president; Nancy Sherrill, vice-president; Kathryn Setzer, secretary; Mary Polk Woodruff, treasurer; Mary Polk Woodruff, Elizabeth Wolf, Lydia Hatfield, Margaret Wheeler, Elizabeth Councill, Mary Dellinger and Louise Cline. After an hour spent in sewing and playing games, hot chocolate and cake were served. Miss Nancy Sherrill will have the next meeting December 22.

Miss Ransom Hostess.

Miss Esther Ransom was hostess to the Bridge Club yesterday morning. For making the highest score Mrs. O. M. Royster won first prize and Mrs. E. L. Shuford the consolation. Mrs. DeMond and Mrs. Back of New York were presented with guest prizes. At the close of the game the guests were invited into the dining-room and served a delicious six-course luncheon. Those playing were Mesdames: F. Abernethy, C. M. Sherrill, J. H. Hatcher, E. L. Shuford, O. M. Royster, E. A. Smith, E. Taylor, DeMond and Back.

REPLY TO CRITICISM

Hickory Baptist informs Mr. Chambliss on Several Points.

We have just read what Mr. T. W. Chambliss had to say in yesterday's Asheville Citizen. In his report of the Baptist State convention, he uses the bishopric a little on the Hickory Baptist church. By it, one would gather that he was a sort of teacher of church history.

He criticizes the Hickory church for passing resolutions endorsing Rev. W. R. Bradshaw, telling who he is, and for instructing its delegates to the convention to vote and help elect him to succeed Doctor Johnson as corresponding secretary of the state mission board. And especially for letting the papers publish the resolutions, etc. He says such was never heard of before, and smacks of politics, or words to that effect.

Now, let's see about it a little. I may even help Mr. Chambliss a little in his new adopted work, that of keeping Baptist history straight. In the first place every Baptist church is an independent body, and its government is absolutely democratic. It makes and executes its own laws based upon the Bible, and is amenable only to Christ, the Great Head of the church, for its acts.

If Brother Chambliss ever heard of a church taking such action, that alone does not prove that it never occurred before, or that it is wrong. Doctor Johnson had resigned. That got into the papers. And who would get it was the great question. That even got into the papers. If Hickory church had a choice, what authority did it cross, or whose law did it break when it expressed that choice? And the delegates sent to the convention, who were they to represent, this church or somebody else? If they were to represent this church, did not this church have the right to instruct them? Is there any harm in pointing out the qualifications of a man whom you would have people vote for? If they don't know, how can voters act intelligently.

He says others criticized the action of this church. Why? Did they have some other man in view for the position? If so, that did not prevent them from putting their claim, or candidates before the convention. That is democratic, too. No harm in that. Mr. Bradshaw was not a candidate. He was not seeking the place. But we had heard of several names being mentioned as candidates. How did their names get out? Guess each did his own mentioning. If their churches wanted them, they had a poor way of showing it. The only reason they did not instruct for them they never thought of it, that's all. Baptists from the time they first settled in the Colonies have advocated by speech and resolutions "religious liberty." For this, they were sorely persecuted. They had much to do in bringing about American independence, and founding a republican form of government, run strictly on democratic principles. Hence, the Hickory church is sticking to the pioneer landmarks regardless of priests or prelate.

As to "politics" let us say parties in their meetings have chairmen, secretaries, committees and vote to elect their officers. Because the parties do this ought the churches in their conventions and meetings, stop having them? Mr. Chambliss doubtless has never read how that Thomas Jefferson learned his democracy in a visit to a little country Baptist church. There he saw how they would make motions and introduce resolutions, and how every member was allowed to vote as he pleased, and how the majority always ruled.

From this Baptist church, Jefferson got the following principles of government that have immortalized his name: 1.—The people the only source of power. 2.—No hereditary offices nor nobility. 3.—Freedom of thought and discussion. 4.—No government or official acts hidden from the public eye. 5.—Representatives bound by the instructions of their constituents. 6.—Freedom, sovereignty and independence of the individual church, which he changed to states.

The only thing creeping out in this that is not Baptist and smacks of modern politics, is Mr. Chambliss' criticism of Hickory church for having a candidate at all; that should be left to a caucus to make out the slate.

A NOTED FIGURE

(By Associated Press.)
London, Dec. 9. — Captain Sir Schomberg McDonnell, whose death from wounds had been announced, was for fourteen years private secretary to the late Lord Salisbury and later acted as secretary of the board of works with personal control over the upkeep of the parliament buildings, the crown post offices, the cleaning of public monuments and the maintenance of every British embassy and consulate abroad. In three positions, Captain McDonnell was noted for his tact and his ability. He was 54 years of age and brother of Lord Antrim.

THE ASSOCIATED CHARITIES FIRST ANNUAL REPORT OF

Of Hickory, N. C., December 1, 1914, to December 1, 1915.

Officers.
C. H. Geitner, president; Rev. J. D. Harte, first vice-president; J. D. Elliott, second vice-president; Dr. W. H. Nicholson, treasurer; C. C. Bost, disburser, and A. K. Joy, secretary.

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This organization helped forty-four persons at different times during the past year. In each instance, Mr. Bost, the city manager or police officers, went to the homes of those applying for help and investigated thoroughly their condition and helped them according to their needs. In this way we know that every cent of the money disbursed went for the exact purpose it was intended for.

The function of an Associated Charities is to organize the charity and good will of the community so that it can be used to the best advantage and to accomplish the greatest possible good to the needy family or individual, and that it shall be done at a minimum cost.

The officers of this organization serve without compensation with the exception of the disbursing officer, who receives ten per cent of the cash donations, and devotes a large portion of his time to the work.

You are urged to report any cases of worthy poor whom you feel would like to ask for help, as these are the most worthy cases and the hardest to locate. Do not contribute to children begging on the streets. Refer them to us.

Treasurer's Statement.
Cash collected to date \$253.80
Good donated by city 17.25
Groceries to sundry parties 177.30
Cash for printing 5.00
Good 22.00
Cash for coffin 5.00
Cash for railroad ticket 14.85
Cash for drugs 1.00
Cash for blank books .75
Cash for rent 3.50
Cash for coal 1.75
Commission for C. C. Bost 27.10
Cash amount on hand 12.87
Totals \$271.05 \$271.05

Dec. 1, cash balance, \$12.80

Those subscribing in the period of November, 1914 to December, 1915, are as follows:

J. H. Aiken.
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J. L. Cille.
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J. L. Gibbs.
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A. K. Joy, Secretary.

FOUR BLOCKADES

Deputy Collector Jones Makes Successful Raid in Burke.

Four illicit distillers, at least three of them warm, were destroyed in Burke county Tuesday by Deputy Collector P. P. Jones and Possemen H. W. Jones and C. A. Moser, and several hundred gallons of beer poured out. The party left here early Tuesday and destroyed one still 15 miles west of Hickory, another two miles farther on, and a third three miles from the second. From here the officers turned southeastward and broke up the fourth plant 13 miles southwest of Hickory. Five hundred gallons of beer were destroyed at one place, 400 gallons at another and 300 at each of the other two plants.

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HICKORY SHRINERS ENJOYED CHARLOTTE

Becoming little caps, made especially for the occasion by Mr. H. J. Holbrook at Brookford, were worn by Messrs. Martin, Seagle and W. A. Dyasart at the Shriners' convention in Charlotte yesterday, and these caps made quite a hit. A part of the decorations consisted of ladies' garters and other novelties. They were pretty enough at the start, but grew monotonous before the night ended. Mr. Martin said today, especially as there were a lot of girls in Charlotte.

Hickory had a big delegation at the meeting and they took a big part in the gathering of 1,110 Shriners. Candidates for the Shriners' degree from Hickory commandery No. 17 included Messrs. Martin, Dyasart and Seagle. J. C. Shuford, Orin Sigmon, G. S. Watson, L. F. Abernethy, A. B. Hutton and A. R. Rhyme, the latter of Newton.

The Shriners will go to Raleigh next year. Hickory Shriners report the best time ever.

RECORDING SECRETARY

Charlotte, Dec. 9.—Rev. Walter N. Johnson, pastor of the White Forest Baptist church, was last evening elected corresponding secretary of the State Baptist convention succeeding Rev. Livingston Johnson, resigned. Rev. Chas. E. Maddy, pastor of the Baptist Tabernacle, Raleigh, ran Mr. Johnson closest.

TEN MORE VACCINATED

Dr. Chas. L. Hunsucker yesterday scratched ten more students at the Barker school house in Hickory township, this making fifty children vaccinated for smallpox during the past two days. Mr. David Deitz has a serious case, but his three children have mild cases. The other two patients in that community are doing well. The school will not be closed and the children who have not been vaccinated are remaining at home.

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Our large assortment of practical gifts will make it easy to make your selection in our store.

Bath Robes \$3.50 to \$10.

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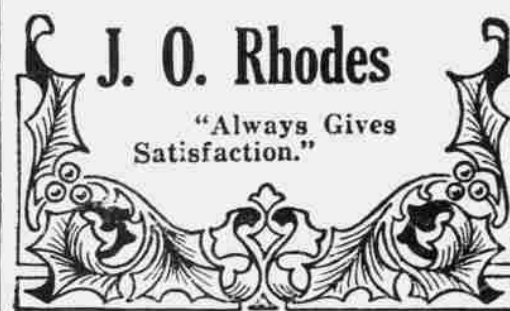
SOUTHERN RAILWAY

PREMIER CARRIER OF THE SOUTH

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Lincolnton	Lv	10:20am	6:31pm
Newton	Lv	10:55am	7:08pm
Hickory	Lv	11:40am	7:40pm
Lenoir	Lv	12:45pm	8:35am
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